

Silk Hat Harry's Escapades

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Sure, the Judge Gave Him a Call

YOU KNOW HOW HARRY KIDS THE WAITRESS INTO BELIEVING THAT HE IS THE JUDGE? WELL, YOU REMEMBER HOW THE JUDGE HIMSELF WENT INTO THAT BEAVERLY LOST HIS HAT AND WAS INSULTED.

WELL—THE JUDGE THEN TOLD A COP HIS TROUBLES AND THE COP TRIED TO GET THE HAT BUT THEY LAUGHED HIM OUT TOO AND SAID GENTLEMAN, GOT SORE—HE WENT BACK TO THE JUDGE GAVE HIM THE ONCE OVER AND WALKED AWAY.

GEE THE JUDGE WAS SORE AT THE COP.

OLD JUDGE RUMMY

REPORTED BY BENCH AND BAR.

SAY—YOU KNOW THAT BEAVERLY I TOLD YOU ABOUT WHERE I LOST MY HAT? WELL A COP WENT IN TO SEE ABOUT IT AND CAME OUT ONLY TO GIVE ME THE HA-HA—I JUST SENT FOR THAT COP—HE DON'T KNOW WHO I AM—JUST LISTEN TO ME BALL HIM OUT

THE JUDGE'LL GIVE THAT BOOB AN EARFULL TAKE IT FROM ME

SO YOU COULDN'T GET MY HAT EH—YOU'RE A FINE PIECE OF CHEESE FOR A COP

WHY YOU POOR STUPID LOOKING BOOB YOU TOLD THOSE PEOPLE THAT YOU WERE A JUDGE—IF YOU SAY ANOTHER WORD I'LL BUST YOU IN THE EYE GET ME?

THEY SHOULD HAVE STOPS THERE

LOOK!!! HE GETS MAD RIGHT AWAY

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(This is one of the regular features of The El Paso Herald.)

Referee Comes Off With Narrow Escape From Injury

Superior Footwork During Willard-Morris Fight Saves William Joh From Bodily Harm While He Implores Alleged Pugilists to Really Land on Each Other; They Just Wished Their Swings Well and Let Them Go.

BY DAMON RUNYON.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—William Joh, the well known boxing referee, had a very narrow escape from serious injury at Madison Square Garden, coming off unharmed only through superior footwork, but he lost only his respect for prize fighters and estimates himself quite fortunate at that.

Mr. Joh was caught in the same ring with Jess Willard and Carl Morris, two of the largest and loudest White Hops known to science, who were spilled all over the Garden arena, for a space of 20 minutes, during which time no one could do a thing about it.

It was decidedly a thrilling experience for Mr. Joh, because there were frequently moments when it appeared certain that either Morris or Willard would fall on Mr. Joh and squash him. Then, too, there were times when a wild swing might have struck Mr. Joh in the jaw, for all Mr. Joh knew, or for all either Morris or Willard knew, either, for that matter.

They did not fear that they were their business to exercise control over their swings after they had started well and let 'em go, and Mr. Joh was to do the dodging.

Referee Shows Gameness. It must be referee that he is a game fellow. He is almost as game as the boxing commission which sanctioned the meeting of Morris and Willard, although it is understood that the commissioners all feel duly apologetic about the matter now.

However, they did not have to risk their lives as did Mr. Joh.

The net result of the fight, as we

understand the matter, was to make George Rodol, the boxer from Australia, as he was introduced by Joe Humphreys, champion of something or other. We understand this from James Johnston, manager of the bout, who was haunting the Garden, claiming the title for his charge, Mr. Johnston says that Willard won, and as Rodol beat Willard in Milwaukee, that makes Rodol champion.

Willard Wins Fight. It may be that Willard won, as Mr. Johnston says. He was the least of two pronounced evils, anyway, although the audience seemed to feel that there ought to be some law covering both of the parties implicated in the proceedings.

Nothing said above must be taken as detracting from the efforts of Mr. Joh, however. The referee took his life in his hands and implored the gentlemen to fight. Frequently he burrowed between them like a mole and undermined their most fervent clinches, but nothing much came of it.

They say Morris has improved 1,000 per cent. One shudders to think what he was. He came on weighing 254 1-4 pounds, or maybe it was tons, and above his B. V. D's his wrist line quivered in the cold glare of the calcium. Willard weighed 235 3-4 pounds, but they were distributed over somewhat more altitude and were not so noticeable. When the grand total for weight got spread out over the ring the result was quite inspiring. It inspired large numbers of persons to leave the premises before their time was up. William Joh could not leave. This is said in justice to Mr. Joh, so that no one will think he stayed there of his own accord.

RACES

Wednesday, Dec. 10, Twelfth Day.

First race—Selling; 2 year olds. Five and a half furlongs.	
Summerhill	98
General Warren	102
Leiford	103
Maid of Norfolk	103
Atilla	103
Mary Pickens	103
Tigella	103
Transact	101
Alaska	101
Alabama Barn	101
Dr. Bailey	106
Foot of Fortune	106
Second race—Selling; 2 year olds and upward. Six furlongs.	
Garter	98
Lady Hewson	103
No Quarter	103
Eye White	103
Rose of Jeddah	106
Palatable	106
Dahlgren	108
Rioja	108
Charles Fox	108
Annual Interest	108
Balriona	108
Frank Woodson	108
Wicket	108
The Pad	108
Compton	108
Third race—Selling; 2 year olds. Five and a half furlongs.	
Temple Pocht	102
Rodondo	102
Claribel	109
Scarlet Oaks	109
Hinata	109
Florida	109
Princess Janice	109
Bob Hensley	112
Depth	112
Fourth race—Selling; 3 year olds and upward. Five and a half furlongs.	
The Cinder	101
Barac	101
Dominica	104
Bob Lynch	104
Seneca	104
Lady Billie	108
Cosgrove	108
Uncle Ben	115
Fifth race—Selling; 2 year olds. Five and a half furlongs.	
Vo-Ya	101
La Estrella	101
Irish Ann	101
George	103
Old Gitch	103
Barbara Lane	103
Christmas Eve	103
Say	104
Ada Kennedy	110
Orchard Lad	111
Sixth race—Selling; 3 year olds and upward. Mile and an eighth.	
Bluebird	99
Mary Emily	103
Ocean Queen	103
Sugar Lump	103
John Louie	105
Superstition	105
Sir John	111
Orchard Lad	111
Five pounds apprentice allowance claimed.	

BAILEY AND JONES TEAMS BREAK EVEN

Bowlers Divide Points in Match at Wigwam Alley—Clark Rolls High Game.	
Bailey's team	138 154 174 513
Clark	120 141 158 490
Nagle	106 106 106 498
Muetman	120 121 102 352
Gallentine	185 151 170 513
Totals	862 739 770 2371
Jones' team	
Jones	160 176 180 516
Dillard	146 150 137 493
Taylor	135 155 135 495
Slosson	120 157 126 413
Rodriguez	137 151 155 443
Totals	698 779 793 2270

MEMSIC SIGNS FOR BOUT WITH CARTER

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 9.—George Memsic has signed articles to box ten rounds with Mexican Kid Carter of Los Angeles before the Phoenix Athletic club the evening of Dec. 35. They are to weigh in at 142 pounds ringside.

Carter is the Los Angeles Mexican who decidedly outpointed Sailor Halford in ten rounds here last Friday night. He will not go back to Los Angeles till after his go with Memsic.

Joe Levy, his manager, has returned to try to sign Joe Rivers with Willie Rittler for a mill on New Year's day.

Halford says he would like to have a return go with Carter over a longer route. He claims that he was getting better as the fight went on, and he did show to better advantage in the ninth and tenth rounds than before.

14 TEAMS ARE TIED IN SIX DAY CYCLE RACE

New York, Dec. 9.—Fourteen teams were tied with 681 miles, three laps at 3 o'clock this morning, the 32 hour of the six day bicycle race. The Corry-Walker team was one lap behind the leaders, while Kohesky and Keefe had covered only 681 miles flat. The previous record for the hour was 676 miles, 13 laps.

FRANKIE GAGE TO FIGHT MATHEWS AT PRESCOTT

Prescott, Ariz., Dec. 9.—Frankie Gage, who claims to be lightweight champion of the southwest, has been matched for a 20 round bout with Dan Mathews in this city December 18. The boys are to weigh in at 135 pounds five hours before the fight.

Thorpe Arrives to Fight O'Rourke All Participants Are Now Signed

"FIGHTING" THORPE, accompanied by his manager, Prince Howard, arrived in El Paso Tuesday morning, after being delayed on the road from Kansas City, for 48 hours. Thorpe will go to work at once for his scheduled bout with Tommy O'Rourke.

Tommy O'Rourke is a wonderful fighter. This was the verdict of assembled boxing critics Monday afternoon when they witnessed the northern lightweight go through his initial boxing workout, preparatory to the Thorpe contest, Dec. 14 at Juarez. Eddie Duffey, an assessor of note, donned the gloves for two rounds with O'Rourke, at the end of which the visitor's right eye was bleeding, the result of a collision with Duffey's head. In the clinches, the northerner pounded Duffey's midriff section with straight right and left, varying with left and right uppercuts to the jaw and face. Thorpe has the cleanness and punch to hold O'Rourke at distance, but the aggressive Memphis boxer shows as well at distance as in the clinches. A left hook to the jaw and a left uppercut at distance are both qualities of O'Rourke. His punches appear to have the necessary steam behind them.

Bart Gordon and Johnny Patrick will clash in the six round semi-windup. Matchmaker S. G. Gonzales could not at

first decide definitely whether he wanted Gordon and Patrick or Cordova and Jockey Spinner, but at last selected the middleweights. Spinner and Cordova cannot go to Yale to aid that college in losing their rowing difficulties, notwithstanding the persistent rumor to that effect.

It is stated that Rice was asked for advice and gave it, but that was all the truth there was in the affair.

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Bleachers have been placed in the new arena and everything is completed for the bout Sunday night, according to promoter S. G. Gonzales.

McFARLAND GETS BEST OF BRITTON

Ten Round, No Decision Bout, at Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 9.—In an unsatisfactory 10 round no decision bout here last night, Packey McFarland outpointed his old enemy, Jack Britton.

In the eighth and ninth rounds, McFarland had Britton groggy but was unable to put him out. Five rounds were even, while one went to Britton. At times, Britton fought McFarland to a standstill and outboxed him, but this was only in flashes.

The crowd jeered the boxers much of the time and there was a cry of "put 'em out; stop the bout." It was announced that Britton weighed 135 at 3 o'clock. McFarland's weight was not announced, but it was reported he weighed 146. Over 6500 spectators witnessed the bout, the receipts being over \$10,000.

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CARPENTIER STOPS WELLS IN ONE ROUND

Englishman Loses Fight for the Heavyweight Championship of Europe.

London, Eng., Dec. 9.—In one minute and 13 seconds of fighting, Georges Carpentier, of France, in the first round knocked out Bombardier Wells, of London, for the heavyweight championship of Europe at the National Sporting club last night.

Carpentier made it a hurricane affair, concentrating his attack on Wells' weak point, his stomach, and soon had the Englishman groggy. Then, with a tremendous swing to the jaw, followed by a smashing left and right to the ribs, Carpentier sent Wells down for the count.

Throughout the brief contest, the Englishman did not strike one effective blow.

The fight was for a purse of \$15,000, and a side stake of \$5,000.

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Packey Wins Bout. Loses Cash Gets Less Money Than Opponent

PACKEY MCFARLAND received less for a ten-round bout in St. Louis, than Harry Trendall did in Chicago, defeated. McFarland drew down \$1000 flat with no percentage option, while official figures give the amount of the gate receipts as over \$6000. Trendall accepted a guarantee of 25 percent of the gate amounting to \$1800, one-third more than the purse drawn by the real drawing card of the show.

Ad Wolgast and Charlie White will clash in a 10 round bout at Milwaukee on Dec. 13. Nate Lewis, manager of the Chicagoans, completed arrangements for the contest after a fruitless effort to re-match White with Johnny Dundee in Chicago. Rumors to the effect that Wolgast had demanded a larger guarantee were down when the match was made.

Connie Mack's Athletics will open the 1914 season with the New York Yankees at the Polo grounds, New York. The Boston Braves will help Charlie Ebbets throw open the gates in Brooklyn, by meeting the Dodgers on the same day. Under the conditions it is believed that the Washington Senators will clash with the Red Sox in Boston.

George Rodol, the boxer "white hope" has agreed to meet Jess Willard, the cowboy giant, in a return match, and the pair will meet at New Haven, Conn., on December 25, in a scheduled 20-round bout. The winner will in all probability be signed to meet the victor of the Pelky-Smith bout at San Francisco on New Year's.

James A. Gilmore, president of the Federal league, has issued an announcement that in a return match, the Federal league has been able to sign major league players will be made public Dec. 15. A complete list of the roster of each club comprising the league is expected to make interesting reading.

Stanley Ketchel was the greatest middleweight that ever donned a pair of gloves, according to Billy Papke, the Kewanee "Thunderbolt." Papke declared that Ketchel was the most tremendous and accurate hitter he ever met, while Hugo Kelly was the greatest for speed and skill. The Kewanee middleweight has never gotten over the wall with which Ketchel knocked him cold in 1908.

When Willie Ritchie changed the lightweight limit to 135 pounds the word was stretched from 128 to 140 pounds. In Ritchie's class there are Ritchie, Welch, Murphy, Britton and Cross. The boxers scaling between 138 and 145 pounds, who are called legitimate lightweights are: Kilbane, Wolgast, Dundee and Charley White.

Walter McCredie and Hap Hogan, managers of the Portland and Venice Coast league clubs respectively, have admitted that they have received offers from owners of major league teams to manage their teams with the privilege of naming their own salary.

GRECIANS DEFEAT THE CEMENT TEAM

Millers Win Four Points in Contest With the Swifts in the Industrial League.

All four men won by the Grecian five of the industrial league Monday night at the Cactus alleys from the Cement team. Clyde Woollen rolled high game, 214, and total, 551.

The Millers took all four points in the second match from the Swift team. Bueger rolled high total, 512, and Mueller game, 207.

The scores	
T. A. Gray	158 147 152 477
C. J. Gurtz	152 147 152 451
R. Nagle	129 167 172 468
C. J. Gurtz	152 147 152 451
D. R. Norris	108 176 148 490
C. L. Woollen	214 178 561
Totals	766 855 829 2460
Cement team—	
J. H. Hanson	127 114 120 371
C. J. Gurtz	127 114 120 371
G. Pilleman	161 183 121 465
R. E. Anderson	162 161 161 502
O. J. Binford	150 128 157 435
Totals	726 719 687 2122
Millers' team—	
Wm. Campbell	150 158 168 476
C. J. Gurtz	152 147 152 451
C. J. Gurtz	152 147 152 451
A. Bueger	178 151 183 512
C. G. Mueller	139 207 166 502
Totals	775 819 775 2365
Swift Team—	
H. A. Meisel	128 143 104 385
S. A. Vaughn	168 158 177 503
M. F. Byrns	146 137 115 398
R. Comer	120 141 117 378
F. Pomeroy	128 141 117 378
Totals	734 768 627 2129

ATHLETICS REFUSE TO SIGN DEMANDS OF FRATERNITY

New York, Dec. 9.—Members of the Philadelphia Athletics are said to have refused to subscribe their names to 17 demands made by the Baseball Players' fraternity which is seeking numerous concessions from major and minor leagues. The Philadelphia players are said to have declared that they had no grievances and that to sign would be unfair to manager Connie Mack.

BUYS HALF INTEREST IN BOSTON AMERICANS

New York, Dec. 9.—Ban Johnson, president of the American league, announced that Joseph Lannin, a hotel manager in Garden City, L. I., had purchased a half interest in the Boston American league club, by acquiring the stock held by Robert McRoy and Jan R. McAlister.

COACH JIM RICE WILL STAY WITH COLUMBIA

New York, Dec. 9.—Veteran coach Jim Rice has a contract to stay with Columbia for several years and therefore cannot go to Yale to aid that college in losing their rowing difficulties, notwithstanding the persistent rumor to that effect.

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THREE CLUBS TO COMPETE FOR WESTERN GOLF TITLE

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 9.—Three clubs will compete for the championship in the western amateur golf tournament in Chicago on January 17. The Kent Country club, of Grand Rapids, the Omaha Country club and the Mayfield Country club, of Cleveland, have made application for the tourney.

The Interlachen Country club, of Minneapolis, is the only bidder for the open championship.

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